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The Honorable Joseph J. Farnan, Jr. United States District Court 844 King Street Wilmington, DE 19801

Re: Affymetrix, Inc. v. Illumina Inc., C.A. No. 04-CV-901 JJF

Dear Judge Farnan:

The Court's September 8, 2006 letter asked for dates when the parties are prepared to proceed with trial in the above-referenced matter. The parties have conferred on the matter, and have agreed that, subject to the Court's availability, trial should begin on March 5, 2007.

Respectfully,

/s/ Maryellen Noreika (#3208)

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